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CODEL MCGOVERN

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TAGS: OREP: (MCGOVERN, GEORGE)

SUBJECT: CODEL MCGOVERN

1. SENATOR GEORGE MCGOVERN, NEWLY SELECTED CHAIRMAN OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE ON MIDDLE EAST AND SOUTH ASIA, COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS, PLANS TRAVEL ADDRESSEE POSTS. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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PURPOSE OF TRAVEL IS INDEPTH STUDY OF MIDDLE EAST SITUATION.

CODEL WILL BE ACCOMPANIED BY MR. SETH TILLMAN, STAFF ASSOCIATE, COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN RELATIONS AND MR. ALAN BARON, EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT AND PRESS SECRETARY TO SENATOR MCGOVERN.

2. ITINERARY:

3/18 LV NEW YORK 2010 TW-900 AR LISBON 1940
3/21 LV LISBON 0840 TW-900 AR ROME 1240
3/21 LV ROME 1625 AZ-890 AR CAIRO 2140
3/24 LV CAIRO 1020 SV-748 AR JIDDA 1320
3/25 LV JIDDA 1145 SV-738 AR RIYADH 1300
3/26 LV RIYADH 1635 SV-724 AR BEIRUT 1955
3/29 LV BEIRUT 1430 VIA SURFACE AR DAMASCUS 1730
3/31 LV DAMASCUS 0830 VIA SURFACE AR AMMAN 1130
4/1 LV AMMAN 1430 VIA SURFACE AR JERUSALEM 1530
4/7 LV TEL AVIV 0030 LY-565 AR.TEHRAN 0500

4/9 LV TEHRAN 0825 BA-711 AR LONDON 1355 4/10 LV LONDON 1130 BA-521 AR DULLES 1455.

3. PLEASE RESERVE THREE SINGLES BEST AVAILABLE AS

FOLLOWS:

TEHRAN - TEHRAN HILTON

JIDDA AND RIYADH - BEST AVAILABLE

KUWAIT - BEST AVAILABLE

CAIRO - NILE HILTON OR SHERATON

BEIRUT - PHOENICIA

DAMASCUS - BEST AVAILABLE

AMMAN - INTERCONTINENTAL

JERUSALEM - KING DAVID (4/2 THROUGH 4/4)

TEL AVIV - BEST AVAILABLE (4/1 THROUGH 4/6)

LISBON - BEST AVAILABLE

4. FOR CAIRO, JIDDA, DAMASCUS, AMMAN, TEHRAN:

CODEL REQUESTS MEETINGS WITH HEADS OF STATE, APPROPRIATE HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND OTHERS AS SUGGESTED BY EACH POST. CODEL REQUESTS EACH POST SUBMIT SUGGESTED SCHEDULE FOR APPROVAL BEFORE ANY COMMITMENTS ARE MADE. REALIZE LIMITED TIME, HOWEVER, CODEL WOULD APPRECIATE PROPOSED SCHEDULES BY COB MARCH 13. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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5. FOR TEL AVIV: ISRAELI EMBASSY WASHINGTON ARRANGING FOLLOWING APPOINTMENTS THROUGH MFA. PRIME MINISTER, FOREIGN MINISTER, DEFENSE MINISTER, FINANCE MINISTER, BEGIN, ELIAV, PROF. SHLOMO AVINERI AND MOSHE DAYAN AND ALSO VISITS TO WESTERN WALL, YAD VASHEN AND GOLAN HEIGHTS.

6. FOR LISBON: CODEL REQUESTS OPEN SCHEDULE.

- 7. FOR ROME: CODEL REQUESTS CAR WITH DRIVER DURING TRANSIT. CODEL WISHES LUNCH IN ROME.
- 8. FOR JIDDA: IN ADDITION REQUEST PARA FOUR CODEL REQUESTS EMBASSY CONTACT HARRY ALTER RE POSSIBILITY OF MEETING WITH ARAMCO OFFICIALS.
- 9. FOR BEIRUT:
- (A) CODEL REQUESTS MEETINGS WITH HOST GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AND OTHERS EMBASSY MAY SUGGEST. WOULD APPRECIATE PROPOSED SCHEDULE FOR CODEL APPROVAL BY COB MARCH 13.
- (B) CODEL REQUESTS APPOINTMENT WITHWALID KHALIBI.
- 10. FOR LONDON: PLEASE RESERVE THREE SINGLES, BEST AVAILABLE.
- 11. ALL POSTS:
- (A) CAR AND DRIVER REQUESTED.
- (B) CODEL REQUESTS SOCIAL FUNCTIONS BE KEPT TO MINIMUM. INGERSOLL

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